

South Carolina Libraries

Volume 0

Issue 139 *News and Views of the South Carolina*

Library Association v.10 n.1 02/1989

Article 1

2-1989

News and Views of the South Carolina Library Association v.10 n.1 02/1989

Follow this and additional works at: https://scholarcommons.sc.edu/scl_journal



Part of the [Library and Information Science Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

(1989) "News and Views of the South Carolina Library Association v.10 n.1 02/1989," *South Carolina Libraries*: Vol. 0 : Iss. 139 , Article 1.

Available at: https://scholarcommons.sc.edu/scl_journal/vol0/iss139/1

This Complete Issue is brought to you by Scholar Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in South Carolina Libraries by an authorized editor of Scholar Commons. For more information, please contact dillarda@mailbox.sc.edu.

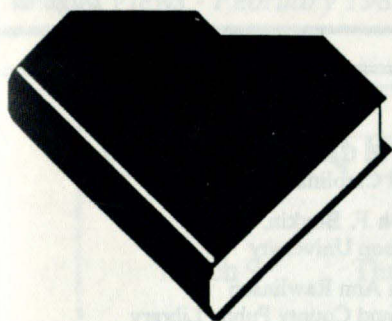
News and Views of the South Carolina Library Association v.10 n.1 02/ 1989

Abstract

News and Views of the South Carolina Library Association v.10 n.1 02/1989

Keywords

South Carolina Library Association



NEWS & VIEWS

of the South Carolina
Library Association

Vol. 10, No. 1

February 1989

THE PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

SCLA's 62nd Annual Convention, November 9-11 in Myrtle Beach, set a record for attendance. Registration Chairman Mary Morgan reported 375 members registered for the conference. Vendor representatives and guests (speakers) brought the total to 445. Conference goers enjoyed a wide choice of programs; and there was standing-room only for Lieutenant Governor Nick Theodore, Sanford Berman, and Dr. Len Berger. Keynote speaker Deborah Miller, author Josephine Humphreys, and others were well received also.

Plans are already underway for the 1989 year. Association, section, and round table officers and committee members will meet on January 28 (at District Education Center, Lexington School District II, in West Columbia) for a planning and orientation session. First Vice-President Joe Boykin has begun working on the program for the 1989 conference which meets November 15-17 at the Hyatt Regency in Hilton Head. The theme for the 63rd Annual Convention will be "Information Services and Economic Development in South Carolina". Since 1989 is the Year of the Young Reader and Children's Book Week is November 13-19, we also hope to have outstanding programs on children's and youth's services and books.

SCLA's membership reached 730 in 1988. Second Vice-President and membership Chairman Helen Ann Rawlinson has set a goal of 1000 members in 1989. By the time you read this column, you should have received your membership mailing. Please renew your membership early in the year, and recruit your colleagues who are not currently members. We need to grow if SCLA is to fulfill its mission of working to promote better library service in South Carolina and to provide for the needs and welfare of the members of the Association.

The SCLA Executive Board, acting on a recommendation from the officers, voted December 9 to suspend publication of *The South Carolina Librarian*

INSIDE

Your new editor says "Hey"	2
Calendar of events	3
Intellectual Freedom Workshop	4
CD-ROM Workshop	4
National Legislative Day	5
SCLA Convention on The Strand	6
SCLA officers	7
SCLA section officers	7
SCLA round table officers	8
SCLA ex-officio board members	9
SCLA standing committees	9
How to contact your editor	11
Constitution & By-laws	12
December Board Meeting	12
Membership application	13

during 1989 and to publish a bi-monthly newsletter instead. Steve Johnson of Clemson University has agreed to serve as editor. We believe a timely, frequent newsletter will better serve the needs of the members. Chairman Paula Paul and the Editorial Committee will be reviewing our publication needs and will make a final recommendation at the end of the year. We invite your contributions to *News and Views* - articles, letters, or announcements of coming events. Send them to Steve so that we may have a useful, current newsletter.

- Betty E. Callaham



FROM THE EDITOR

Hey! I'm your new editor. If many of you don't know me, that's because I have not been very active in SCLA, until now. Although I have attended the state conventions dutifully, with my shrinking violet complex you probably never noticed me standing over in the corner.

Since December I have been making up for lost time. I have attended two SCLA board meetings, where I have met many of the officers and committee members for the first time. My first impression is that this is a very dedicated and talented group of people who are working hard to improve libraries and librarianship in South Carolina.

At the December Executive Board meeting it was decided to temporarily suspend publication of the *South Carolina Librarian* and revive *News & Views*. The Association simply did not have the resources to publish both and it was decided that a bimonthly newsletter would be more useful. I know this change is going to drive a few serial catalogers crazy. *News & Views* may be a candidate for the ALA worst-serial-change-of-the-year award.

I wish to thank Katina Strauch for her editorship of the *South Carolina Librarian* and especially for putting up with the merger of the two publications during 1988. Suspension of the *Librarian* does not seem like a very just reward for her superhuman efforts at handling both publications. I am sure that if it were up to the serial catalogers, they simply would not allow the current change.

At the bottom of the next column is a schedule for *News & Views* for this year. Please pay close attention to article deadlines. If you have anything that is newsworthy about your library, workshop announcements, etc., please send the information to me before these dates. Send material directly to me, at the address appearing at the right. For alternative ways of sending information, see page 11.

If you have any suggestions for changes or improvements in the newsletter, please contact Paula Paul, Chair of the SCLA Editorial Committee, or the Editor. We welcome your suggestions and comments.

SCLA OFFICERS

President:	Betty E. Callaham South Carolina State Library
Vice-President:	Joseph F. Boykin, Jr. Clemson University
Second VP:	Helen Ann Rawlinson Richland County Public Library
Secretary:	Yvette H. Pierce Francis Marion College
Treasurer:	Helen L. Calleson Irmo High School
Past President:	Suzanne Krebsbach McNair Law Firm

EDITORIAL COMMITTEE

Myra Armistead	Paula Paul (Chair)
Katie Bielsky	Bud Walton
Tom Lowrimore	Nancy Washington

NEWS & VIEWS STAFF

Editor:	Steve Johnson
Data entry:	Allen Sanders Pat Dunham
Proofreader:	Sandra Clipp Isabelle Hyams
Printer:	Campus Copy Shop, Clemson

News & Views business address:

Steve Johnson
Editor
News & Views
P.O. Box 1585
Clemson, SC 29633

The editor may also be reached at the following telephone numbers:

day	(803) 656-5175
evenings & weekends	(803) 654-3360

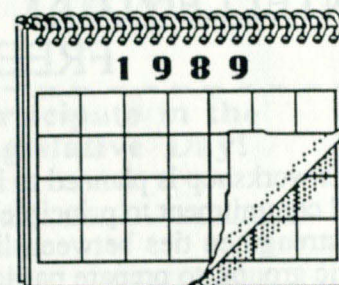
SCLA business address:

SCLA
P. O. Box 8899
Columbia, SC 29202-8899

News & Views schedule for 1989

No.	issue date	article deadline	mailing date
2	April	March 9	March 30
3	June	May 4	May 25
4	August	July 6	July 27
5	October	Sept. 7	Sept. 28
6	December	Nov. 27	Dec. 14

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



- | | | |
|-------------|-----------|--|
| March 9 | Thursday | deadline for <i>New & Views</i> articles |
| March 15 | Wednesday | South Carolina Library Legislative Day , Columbia, contact: Julie Zackowski, (APLA) Beaufort County Library |
| March 16 | Thursday | Freedom of Information Day , contact: Betty Callaham |
| March 31 | Friday | SCLA Executive Board Meeting , 10:30 a.m., Richland County Public Library, Northeast Branch, 7490 Parklane Road, Columbia |
| April 9-15 | | National Library Week , theme: "Ask a professional; ask a librarian." |
| April 11 | Tuesday | National Library Legislative Day (see page 5 for more information) |
| April 14 | Friday | "The First Freedom" Intellectual Freedom Workshop, Columbia (see page 4 for more information) |
| April 28 | Friday | CD-ROM Workshop (see page 4 for more information) |
| May 4 | Thursday | deadline for <i>New & Views</i> articles |
| June 10 | Saturday | SCLA Executive Board Meeting , 10:30 a.m., South Carolina State Library, 1500 Senate Street, Columbia |
| July 6 | Thursday | deadline for <i>New & Views</i> articles |
| August 5 | Saturday | SCLA Executive Board Meeting , 10:30 a.m., South Carolina State Library, 1500 Senate Street, Columbia |
| October 13 | Friday | SCLA Executive Board Meeting , 10:30 a.m., Richland County Public Library, Northeast Branch, 7490 Parklane Road, Columbia |
| September 7 | Thursday | deadline for <i>New & Views</i> articles |
| Nov. 15-17 | | SCLA 63rd Annual Convention , Hyatt Regency, Hilton Head Island |
| November 27 | Monday | deadline for <i>New & Views</i> articles |

INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM WORKSHOP



CD-ROM WORKSHOP

This workshop is planned to improve understanding of and commitment to principles of intellectual freedom, to strengthen ties between library organizations and civic groups, to prepare participants to deal with intellectual freedom questions, and to inform them about resources and support available in censorship cases.

The program will feature several nationally known speakers including Judith Krug, Executive Director of the ALA Office of Intellectual Freedom; Oren Teicher, Executive Director of Americans for Constitutional Freedoms; and Rhett Jackson, Past-President of the American Booksellers Association; as well as a number of South Carolina librarians, attorneys, and others concerned about intellectual freedom. Members of each of the sponsoring organizations as well as civic groups will be invited to the workshop.

The South Carolina Library Association will join the State Library, the S.C. Association of School Librarians, the Association of Public Library Administrators, the S.C. Chapter of the Special Libraries Association, the S.C. Chapter of the Association of Educational and Communications Technology, and the USC College of Library and Information Science in sponsoring the Intellectual Freedom Workshop. It is to be held on Friday, April 14, 1989, as the climax of National Library Week. The Town House in Columbia will be the site.

The planning committee for the workshop includes Paula Benson and Pam Robinson (SCLA), Judy Roumillat (SCASL), Cate Townsend (AECT), John Olsgaard (USC/CLIS), Deborah Hotchkiss (SLA), Julie Zachowski (APLA), and Betty Callaham and Alice Nolte (State Library).

The State Library will underwrite the cost of the speakers for the workshop. There will be a nominal registration fee for the lunch and the printed materials. Program announcements will be mailed at the end of February.

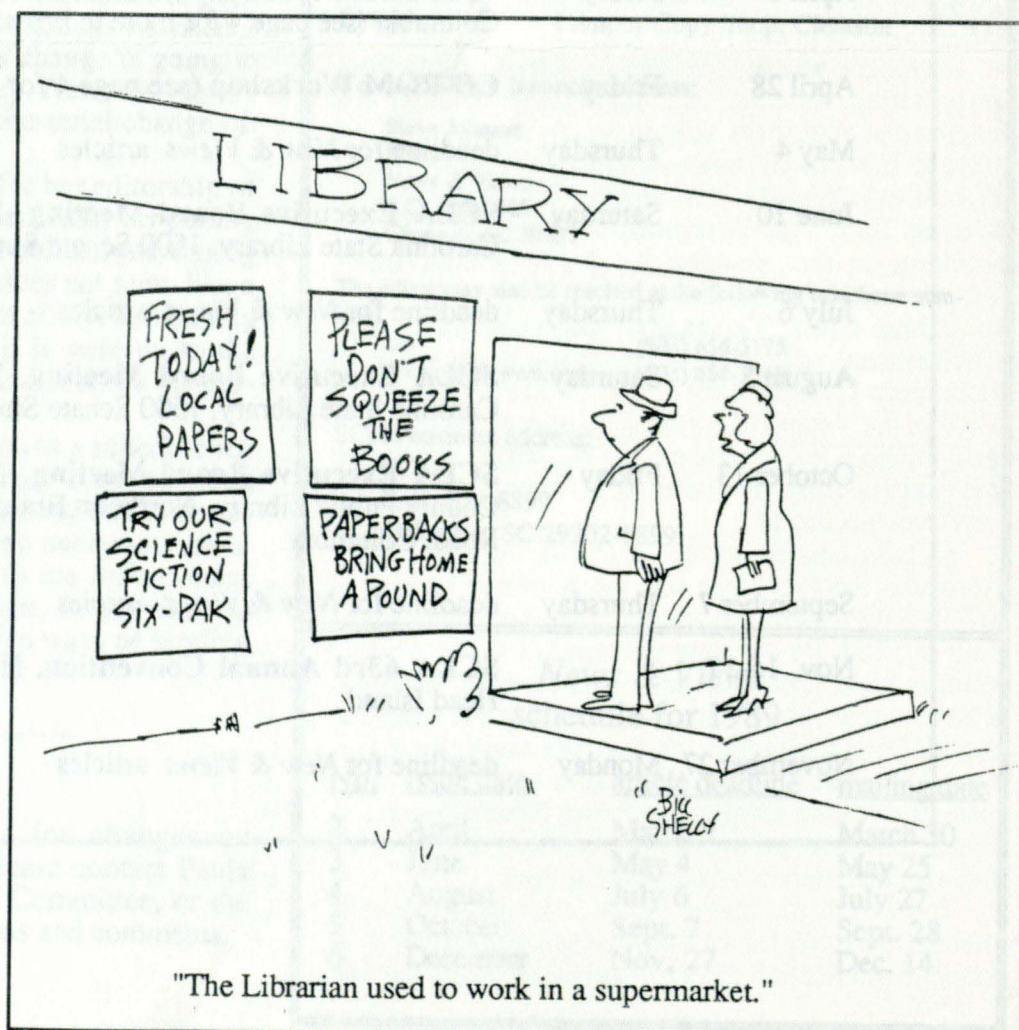
-Dennis Bruce

The Technical Services Section will present a workshop on CD-ROM on April 28, 1989 at the College of Library and Information Science in Columbia.

The program will include demonstrations of CD-ROM databases, a panel discussion on the pros and cons of the medium for different types of libraries and a video. Databases to be demonstrated include BIP, Ulrich's, Dialog's ERIC, OCLC's Educational Materials in Libraries, and the WILSONDISCS for Library Literature, Readers' Guide, MLA, Social Science Index, Business Periodicals Index, and Humanities Index.

Registration forms will be mailed in March.

-Nancy Washington



"The Librarian used to work in a supermarket."

NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE DAY

April 11, 1989 is National Library Legislative Day. Won't you plan to join us in Washington, DC?

Each year ALA organizes this event to inform Congress of library needs at home. We meet with each member of our South Carolina Delegation and discuss the various Federal programs that provide aid for libraries.

These activities have been especially urgent in past years due to the administrative branch's desire to eliminate library funding. Our national effort has kept this funding secure.

LSCA is coming up for renewal next year so our work in Washington is even more important. Let me know if you can help. We would like to see 50 or more attending.

A typical Legislative Day in Washington begins with an ALA briefing early in the morning. After the briefing, visits are made by each team to their delegation members. A wrap-up session is held late in the afternoon. Finally, you join your Senators and Representatives at a reception (5-7 p.m.?).

It is possible to fly to Washington in the early morning, take part in these activities, and fly home the same day. Others are more comfortable with a one or two night stay. Your Federal Relations Coordinator will help arrange transportation and lodging.

If you would be willing to accept this responsibility and challenge, indicate your commitment on the form to the right. Please send this form to me and I will get back to you with details, options, and goals.

--Dennis Bruce



I want to participate in the National Legislative Day!

Name _____

Library _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

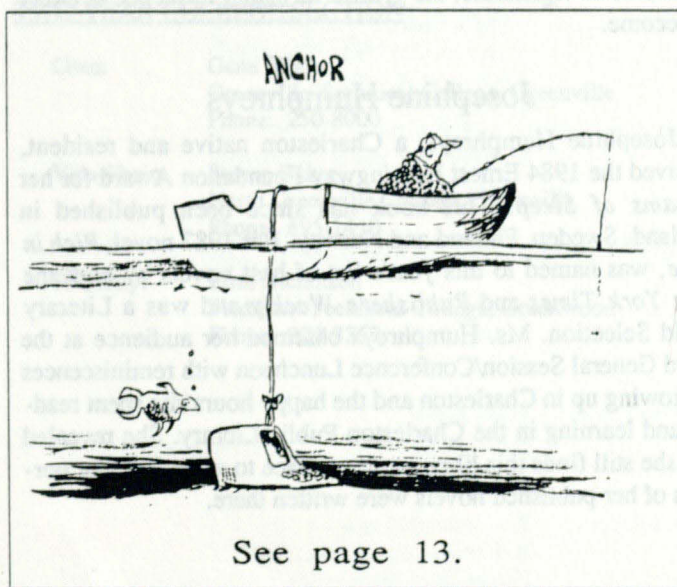
☐ I would like a hotel room if you get a block.

☐ I would be interested in group rate air fares.

☐ Sorry, I cannot scrape up the \$12.00 registration fee ALA requires.

Mail to: Dennis Bruce
Federal Relations Coordinator
Spartanburg County Public Library
P. O. Box 2409
Spartanburg, SC 29304

tel. (803) 596-3507



See page 13.

SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION 62ND ANNUAL CONVENTION

"Pro Publicus Bonum: Libraries and Information for the Public Good" was the theme of the South Carolina Library Association Convention held November 9-11 at Myrtle Beach. The convention attracted 373 of the organization's 790 members to hear speakers and presentations designed to illuminate the role libraries play in society and the role the Association plays in the library profession in South Carolina.

Featured speakers on the program included Deborah Miller, Director of Governmental Services for the Illinois Library Association, South Carolina's Lt. Governor, Nick Theodore; Charleston writer, Josephine Humphreys; newspaper columnist, Bill McDonald and a host of outstanding library professionals. Forty exhibits representing publishers and vendors of library services were available to convention participants. A special exhibit, "Adventures in Faith: Library Service to Blacks in South Carolina, 1800-1988" was funded by the South Carolina Committee for the Humanities, the South Carolina Library Association, the South Carolina State Library and the University of South Carolina College of Library and Information Science.

Deborah Miller

Keynote speaker, Deborah Miller is a library advocate, trustee and lobbyist. As director of Governmental Services for the Illinois Library Association she coordinates ILA legislative activities and has successfully guided numerous bills through the Illinois state legislature.

Ms. Miller recommended that librarians in all states participate in ALA's annual Legislative Day in Washington in an effort to make the national political process more "library-friendly." Librarians should work to increase their visibility as an intelligent, educated, articulate and active voting bloc. In the state of Illinois about 100,000 citizens are library workers or the family of members of library workers. Library users constitute a group of thousands more voters and, as Ms. Miller pointed out, the larger the perceived political influence of this group becomes in the minds of legislators, the greater its actual influence is likely to become.

Josephine Humphreys

Josephine Humphreys, a Charleston native and resident, received the 1984 Ernest Hemingway Foundation Award for her *Dreams of Sleep*. This book has since been published in England, Sweden, Finland and Norway. Her 1987 novel, *Rich in Love*, was named to this year's list of best novels by both the *New York Times* and *Publishers Weekly* and was a Literary Guild Selection. Ms. Humphreys charmed her audience at the Third General Session/Conference Luncheon with reminiscences of growing up in Charleston and the happy hours she spent reading and learning in the Charleston Public Library. She revealed that she still finds this library a good place to write and that portions of her published novels were written there.

Bill McDonald

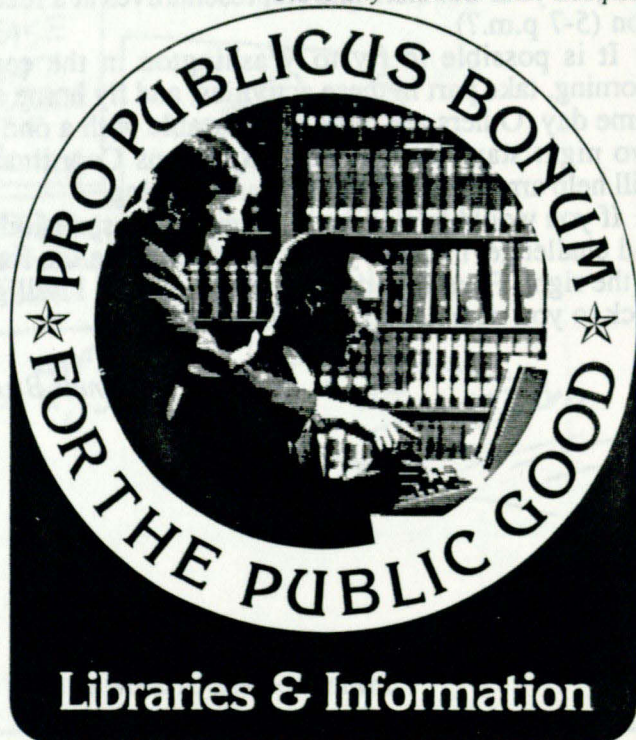
Bill McDonald, columnist for *The State* Newspaper, is well known for the warmth, humor and compassion of his reporting. Roaming the byways of South Carolina he introduces his readers to out-of-the-way places and to individuals from every walk of life.

Mr. McDonald shared with the attendees at the Trustees/Friends Luncheon his experiences growing up in the town of Winnsboro where his family had been book lovers and library supporters from his earliest recollection. He also recounted anecdotes of his days traveling the state in search of unique people and places to feature in his columns.

Sanford Berman

Sanford Berman, Head Cataloger at Hennepin (Minnesota) County Library addressed the Joint Meeting of the College and University Section, Two-Year College Section, and Technical Services Section, on the topic "Everything About Cataloging That You Didn't Learn in Library School." Mr. Berman is a widely published author and sought after speaker on problems and solutions for present day libraries. The thrust of Mr. Berman's remarks to the Sections concerned Library of Congress practices regarding choice of subject headings and the timeliness with which they are updated in order to reflect the new and changing topics which are covered in the books being published today. His practice has been to analyze items more thoroughly and to provide subject headings which will allow the average public library user to find materials more quickly and easily.

*-excerpted from Footnotes, the Newsletter of the
Assembly of Librarians of the USC
University and Four Year Campuses*



SCLA OFFICERS -- 1988/89

- President: Betty E. Callaham, South Carolina State Library, Columbia
Phone: 734-8666
- Vice-President: Joseph F. Boykin, Jr., Clemson University, Clemson
Phone: 656-3026
- Second Vice President: Helen Ann Rawlinson, Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084
- Secretary: Yvette H. Pierce, Francis Marion College, Florence
Phone: 661-1310
- Treasurer: Helen L. Callison, Irmo High School, Columbia
Phone: 781-2720 (21)
- Past President: Suzanne Krebsbach, McNair Law Firm, Columbia
Phone: 799-9800

SCLA SECTION OFFICERS FOR 1988-89

(Chairs serve on SCLA Executive board)

COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY SECTION

- Chair: Enid R. Causey
Baptist College, Charleston
Phone: 797-4814
- Vice-Chair: John Pritchett
Columbia College, Columbia
Phone: 786-3201
- Secretary: Mitzi Jarrett
Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, Columbia
Phone: 786-5150

SPECIAL LIBRARY SECTION

- Chair: Janet Meyer
McNair Law Firm, Columbia
Phone: 799-9800
- Vice-Chair: Jack Hurd
Nelson Mullins Riley Scarborough, Columbia
Phone: 799-2000
- Secretary: Sue Husman
Attorney General's Office, Columbia
Phone: 734-3769

PUBLIC LIBRARY SECTION

- Chair: Sarah Linder
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084
- Vice-Chair: Anthony Messineo
Greenville County Library, Greenville
Phone: 242-5000
- Secretary: Jo Ann Olson
Kershaw County Library, Camden
Phone: 425-1508
- Delegates-at-Large: Sharon Fashion
Berkeley County Library, Moncks Corner
Phone: 761-8082

TWO-YEAR COLLEGE SECTION

- Chair: Gene Elliott
Greenville Technical College, Greenville
Phone: 250-8000
- Vice-Chair: Steven Baker
North Greenville College, Greenville
Phone: 895-1410
- Secretary: Ruth Nicholson
Piedmont Technical College, Greenwood
Phone: 223-8357

Harriet Gilmer
Anderson County Library, Anderson
Phone: 260-4500

LIBRARY ADMINISTRATION SECTION

Chair: Bob Davidson
Florence County Library, Florence
Phone: 662-8424

Vice-Chair: Faith Line
Sumter County Library, Sumter
Phone: 773-7273

Secretary: Paul Dove
Francis Marion College, Florence
Phone: 661-1300

Vice-Chair: Karen Matheny
Darlington County Library, Darlington
Phone: 393-5864

Secretary: Anita Vaughn
Kershaw County Library, Camden
Phone: 425-1508

TECHNICAL SERVICES SECTION

Chair: Nancy Washington
USC Library Processing Center, Columbia
Phone: 777-4206

Vice-Chair: Cynthia Yarborough
Presbyterian College, Clinton
Phone: 833-2820

Secretary: vacant

PUBLIC SERVICES SECTION

Chair: Susan Silverman
Winthrop College, Rock Hill
Phone: 323-2131

Vice-Chair: Phillip Powell
College of Charleston, Charleston
Phone: 792-8006

Secretary: Tine Culler
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084

TRUSTEE SECTION

Chair: Mrs. Valeria Staley
Orangeburg County Library Board, Orangeburg
Phone: 534-4854

Vice-Chair: Mrs. Willie Saleeby
State Library Board, Hartsville
Phone:

Secretary: Mrs. Pat Ruff
Spartanburg County Library Board, Spartanburg
Phone: 461-2828

SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH
IN SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC LIBRARIES SECTION

Chair: Leslie Barban
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084

SCLA ROUND TABLE OFFICERS FOR 1988-89

(Chairman serves as *ex-officio* non-voting member of SCLA Executive Board)

ARCHIVES AND SPECIAL COLLECTIONS ROUND TABLE

Chair: Herbert Hartsook
Caroliniana Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-3131

Vice-Chair: Dennis Taylor
Clemson University, Clemson
Phone: work - 656-4731

Secretary: Roland Burt
Archives and History, Columbia
Phone: work - 734-8577

JUNIOR MEMBERS ROUND TABLE

Chair: Cynthia C. Yarborough
Presbyterian College, Clinton
Phone: 833-2820

Vice-Chair: Janice Sprouse
Florence County Library, Florence
Phone: 662-8424

Secretary: Denise Jacobs
Presbyterian College, Clinton
Phone: 833-2820

GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS ROUND TABLE

Chair: Ann Hare
Lander College, Greenwood
Phone: 229-8365

Vice-Chair: Steve Smith
Spartanburg County Library, Spartanburg
Phone: 596-3505

Secretary: Rose Ellen Eckberg
Winthrop College, Rock Hill
Phone: 245-4280

ON-LINE USERS ROUND TABLE

Chair: Jeri W. Charleston
Newberry College, Newberry
Phone: 276-5010

Vice-Chair: Mary S. Reimer
Harris Psychiatric Hospital, Anderson
Phone: 231-2677

Secretary: Nancy Smith
Medical University of SC, Charleston
Phone: 792-7672

OTHER EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS OF THE 1988-89 SCLA EXECUTIVE BOARD

ALA Councillor: Frankie H. Cubbedge
USC Aiken, Aiken
Phone: 648-6851

SCLA Executive Secretary: Drucie Reeves
Lexington School District II, West Columbia
Phone: 796-4708

SELA Representative: Neal A. Martin
Coker College, Hartsville
Phone: 332-1381

Editor, News & Views: Steve Johnson
Clemson University Libraries
Phone: 656-5175

SCASL Representative: Frankie O'Neal
Carolina Elementary, Hartsville
Phone: 393-8043

SCLA STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1988/89

(Chairman serves as ex-officio non-voting member of SCLA Executive Board)

AWARDS

1989 Lisanne Hamilton
Trident Technical College, Charleston
Phone: 572-6079

Trudy Craven
Milliken Research Library, Spartanburg
Phone: 573-1589

1990 Norman Belk, Chair
Greenville County Library, Greenville
Phone: 242-5000

Libby Law
SC State Library, Columbia
Phone: 734-8666

1991 Carol R. McIver
Winthrop College, Rock Hill
Phone: 323-2131

Jean Rhyne
USC Cooper Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-7149

1991 Beth Bernhardt
Newberry College, Newberry
Phone: 276-6586

Karen Leifield
AHJ Regional Library, Allendale
Phone: 584-3513

Ex-Officio: Drucie Reeves
Executive Secretary

CONTINUING EDUCATION

1989 Gloria Kelly
Winthrop College, Rock Hill
Phone: 323-2131

Roxy Rust
Westvaco F. S. L. Library, Summerville
Phone: 871-5000

1990 Jane Mason, Chair
American Management College, Spartanburg
Phone: 574-5000

Jackie Kinder
USC Cooper Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-4866

1991 Nancy Smith
Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston
Phone: 792-7672

Nanette H. Mullinax
Concord Elementary, Anderson
Phone: 260-5105

CONSTITUTION AND BY- LAWS

1989 Joseph L. Allen, Chair
Bob Jones University, Greenville
Phone: 242-5100

Marilyn Gibbes
Claflin College, Orangeburg
Phone: 534-2710

1990 Ed Scott
Furman University, Greenville
Phone: 294-2191

Barbara Yonce
Greenville County Libraries, Greenville
Phone: 242-5000

EDITORIAL

1989 Paula F. Paul, Chair
Orangeburg County Library, Orangeburg
Phone: 531-4636

Nancy Washington
USC Processing Center, Columbia
Phone: 777-4206

1990 Tom Lowrimore
Horry County Library, Conway
Phone: 248-4898

Katie Bielsky
College of Charleston, Charleston
Phone: 792-8022

1991 Bud Walton
USC Cooper Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-3146

Myra Armistead
Clemson University, Clemson
Phone: 656-5168

Editor, *News & Views*: Steve Johnson
Clemson University, Clemson
Phone: 656-5175

Ex-Officio: Betty E. Callaham, President, SCLA

1990 Thelma Clark
Marion County Library Board, Marion
Phone: home - 423-3372

Suzane Krebsbach
McNair Law Firm, Columbia
Phone: 799-9800

1991 Carl Stone, Chair
Anderson County Library, Anderson
Phone: 231-2803

David Cohen
College of Charleston, Charleston
Phone: 792-5530

Ex-Officio: Betty E. Callaham
Director, SC State Library

Alternate: James B. Johnson, Jr.
Deputy Director, SC State Library

LIBRARY AND PERSONNEL STANDARDS

1989 Linda K. Allman, Chair
USC Processing Center, Columbia
Phone: 777-4206

Shirley Tarlton
Winthrop College, Rock Hill
Phone: 323-2131

1990 Ray Riddle
Horry County Library, Conway
Phone: 248-4898

Brenda Parson
Belton Elementary School
Phone: home - 369-0813

1991 Carol C. Renfro
Anderson County Library, Anderson
Phone: 260-4507

Charmaine Tomczyk
USC Coastal Carolina, Conway
Phone: 249-2403

INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM

1989 Katina P. Strauch
College of Charleston, Charleston
Phone: 792-8020

Elizabeth Lange
USC Cooper Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-3142

1990 Paula Benson, Chair
USC Law Library, Columbia
Phone: 777-5902

Pat Gilleland
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 772-6675

1991 Lois Upham
USC College of Library & Information Science,
Columbia
Phone: 777-6938

Sarah McMaster
Fairfield County Library, Winnsboro
Phone: 635-4971

LEGISLATIVE

1989 Cassandra Norman
Benedict College, Columbia
Phone: 253-5173

David Lyon
York County Library, Rock Hill
Phone: 324-3055

MEMBERSHIP

1989 Vicki Dale Leonard
Rutledge College, Greenville
Phone: 232-8502

Salley B. Martin
Florence County Library, Florence
Phone: 662-8424

Helen Ann Rawlinson, Chair
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Second Vice-President of SCLA
Phone: 799-9084

1990 Judy McClendon
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084

Mary E. Tyler
Librarian, Columbia High School, Columbia
Phone: 798-1750

Margaret Bundy
Lancaster County Library Board, Lancaster
Phone: 283-2001

1991 Mary Bull
USC Coastal Carolina, Conway
Phone: 349-2404

Robin V. H. Copp
SC Department of Archives and History, Columbia
Phone: 734-8592

Ethel M. Bolden
Richland County Public Library Board, Columbia
Phone: home - 256-2478

Ex-Officio: Drucie Reeves
Executive Secretary

PLANNING

1989 Lynne Smith
USC Coastal Carolina, Conway
Phone: 347-3161
Dan Barron
USC Col. of Library & Info. Science, Columbia
Phone: 777-4825

Jane B. Dorn
Richland County Public Library, Columbia
Phone: 799-9084

1990 Mary Bostick
SC State Library, Columbia
Phone: 734-8666

Carol Gaines
Clinton Public Library, Clinton
Phone: 883-1853

Oakley H. Coburn, Chair
Wofford College, Spartanburg
Phone: 585-4821

1991 Susan Isaacs
Aiken Technical College, Aiken
Phone: 593-9231

Maureen Harris
Clemson University, Clemson
Phone: 656-5174

Imogene I. Book
Denmark Technical College, Denmark
Phone: 793-3301

PUBLICITY

1989 Julia E. Bailey
Sumter County Library, Sumter
Phone: 773-7273

Minnie M. Johnson
SC State College, Orangeburg
Phone: 536-7045

1990 Rodger Smith
Charleston County Library, Charleston
Phone: 766-6951

Mary Beth Fecko
Lander College, Greenwood
Phone: 229-8366

1991 Helen Fellers, Chair
Lexington County Library, Lexington
Phone: 781-7835

Joyce A. Durant
Francis Marion College, Florence
Phone: 661-1304

Ex-Officio: Chairman, Convention Publicity Committee

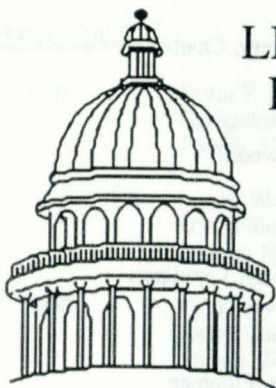


**News & Views Reporters,
Take Note!**

HOW DO YOU CONTACT YOUR EDITOR?

LET ME COUNT THE WAYS

1. by phone: dial 656 -5175 or -3035
2. by mail: Steve Johnson
Editor, News & Views
P.O. Box 1585
Clemson, SC 29633
3. by computer: my BitNet userid is
JOHNSOS@CLEMSON
4. by disk: I use a Macintosh. Send your documents in text, MacWrite, WriteNow, Word, Ready,Set,Go!, Excel, MacPaint, or MacDraw format. Put them in padded envelopes, please; they don't mingle well with automatic letter sorters. THIS OR BITNET ARE THE PREFERRED WAYS TO SEND ME ARTICLES.
5. by FAX: We don't have a FAX machine yet, but will within a few months. Our FAX number will appear in the next *News & Views*.



LEGISLATIVE REPORT

1990 FEDERAL BUDGET REQUESTS

Libraries--

In its final budget request for FY 1990 the Reagan Administration, for the first time, requested funding for library programs equal to current year funding. However, the request is predicated on passage of legislation to be proposed later which would repeal the existing Library Services and Construction Act and Higher Education Act title II library programs.

According to budget documents: "For 1990, the Department proposes to submit reauthorization legislation that would better focus these programs on improving library services for the economically disadvantaged and handicapped, on promoting resource sharing among libraries, and on library research and assessment activities." Such legislation was submitted to Congress last spring as the proposed Library Improvement Act with an authorization total of \$76 million, compared with \$135.1 million for LSCA and HEA II in FY 1988. Congress took no action on the Administration proposal, which will apparently now be resubmitted with a higher authorization level.

Postal--

For FY 1990, President Reagan has again requested only enough postal revenue forgone appropriations, \$23,696,000, to continue free mail for the blind and for overseas voters. At first glance, budget documents show a request of \$459,755,000. This is the same amount the U. S. Postal Service estimates is necessary to keep the preferred postal rates used by schools, colleges, libraries and nonprofit groups at current levels. However, under proposed legislation to be transmitted later, the revenue forgone appropriation would be eliminated except for amounts needed for free mail categories.

Budget documents explain: "Preferred rate status would be terminated or restricted for several categories which would be charged commercial rates. For remaining preferred categories the postal overhead costs formerly covered by appropriations would become the responsibility of other mail categories...." Congress did not consider this approach for FY 1989, but appropriated \$436,417,000, thus maintaining free mail and preferred rates.

--Eileen D. Cooke, ALA Washington Office Director

CONSTITUTION, BY-LAWS, AND HANDBOOK REVISION

A REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE

Four proposed changes to the By-laws and Handbook were presented to the membership of the SCLA at the annual business meeting on November 10, 1988. The proposed amendment to Article I of the By-laws, "types of memberships and dues structure shall be determined by the Executive Board," failed to receive a two-thirds vote in a hand count, by five votes.

The other amendments passed by a unanimous vote. The changes involved the following: altering the time of appointment to a standing committee from three years to a period of one to three years, adding the South Carolina State Librarian or designee as an *ex officio* member to the Legislative Committee, and adding the convention budget as an item which must receive Executive Board approval.

Should you have any questions, please call me at 242-5100, ext. 6010

-Joseph L. Allen
Chair, Constitution, By-Laws

ACTIONS TAKEN AT THE SCLA BOARD MEETING

December 9, 1988

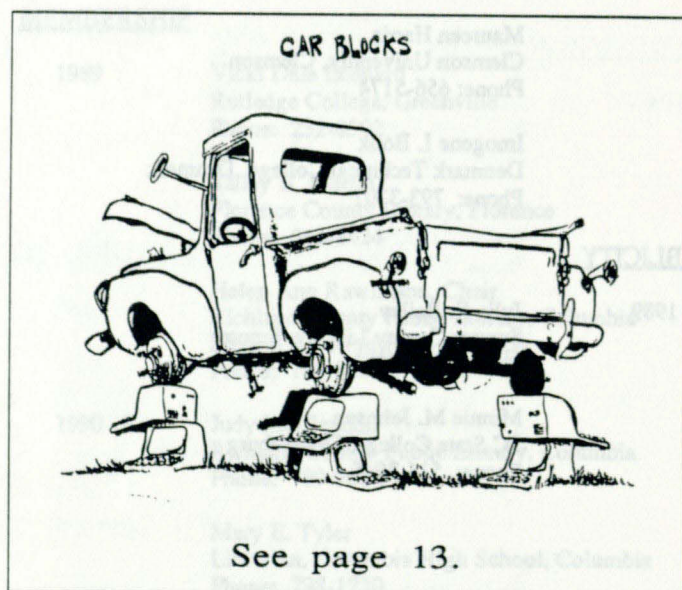
SCLA publications:

The Board voted to suspend publication of the South Carolina Librarian for the 1988/89 fiscal year and to publish a newsletter, which is to appear sixtimes a year.

88/89 budget

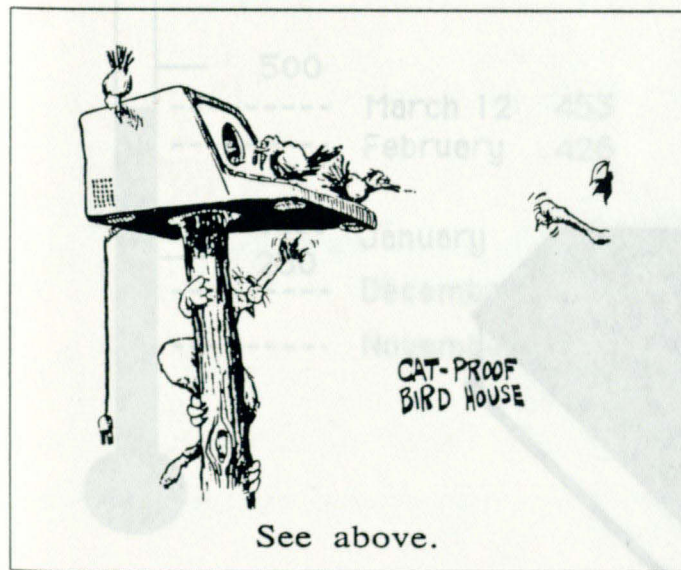
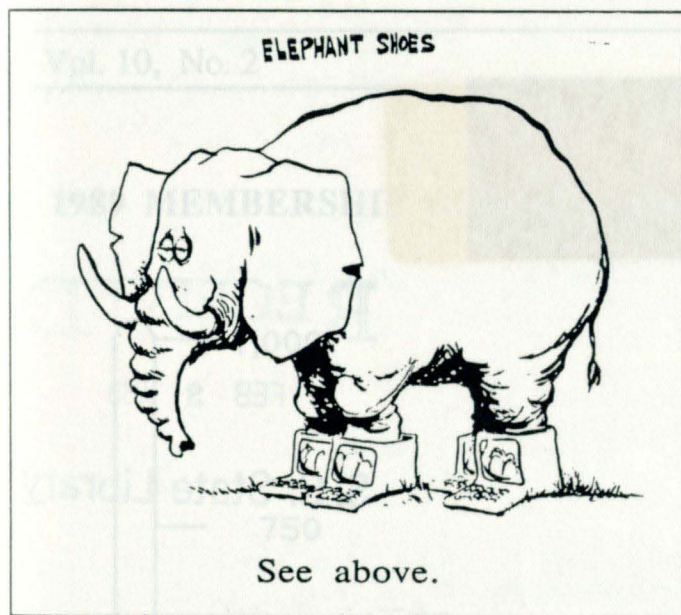
The budget was accepted with two changes. The annual subscription rate for our new publication was increased to \$10.

-Evette Pierce
SCLA Secretary



101 USES FOR AN UNUSED HOME COMPUTER

The cartoons which appear below and on pages four and twelve were reproduced with permission from a paperback book, *101 Uses for an Unused Home Computer*, by Clyde Wells and Frank Saidis; Atlanta, Ga., Peachtree Publishers, 1986 (list price: \$4.95).



ARE YOU A READER, BUT NOT A JOINER?

You should have received your membership renewal form in the mail within the last few weeks. In the event that you did not, we have reproduced the form for you on this page. However, if you wish to continue to receive *News & Views* during 1989, but do not wish to join the South Carolina Library Association, you may do so by sending your mailing address and a check or money order for \$10.00 to the SCLA Executive Secretary at the following address:

Drucie Reeves, Executive Secretary
South Carolina Library Association
P. O. Box 8899
Columbia, SC 29202-8899

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date _____ Membership year runs from convention to convention.

RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP ☐ NEW MEMBERSHIP ☐ **HONORARY LIFE ☐

Please Print or Type

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

County _____ Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____

Library _____ Position/Title _____

DUES PAID TO SCLA ARE DEDUCTIBLE FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES. YOUR CANCELLED CHECK IS YOUR RECEIPT.

SCLA

P. O. Box 8899

Columbia, S. C. 29202-8899

* Public Services members may also join the Bibliographic Instruction Interest Group
**If you expect to retire during this membership year, please indicate that here.

BASIC DUES—Select your category of membership by checking appropriate box.

☐ \$15.00—INDIVIDUALS, salary less than \$12,000 gross per annum (includes choice of up to 2 sections or round tables)

☐ \$20.00—INDIVIDUALS, salary over \$12,000 gross per annum (includes choice of up to 2 sections or round tables)

☐ \$15.00—TRUSTEES AND FRIENDS

☐ \$10.00—STUDENTS AND RETIRED

☐ \$30.00—INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP

☐ \$35.00—SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

SECTIONS & ROUND TABLES—Members paying dues of \$15 or \$20, select two; more than two, \$2.00 extra each.

☐ College & University ☐ Library Administration

☐ Public ☐ Special

☐ Technical Services ☐ BI Interest Group

☐ Two-Year College ☐ Trustee

☐ Services for Children & Youth in Schools & Public Libraries

ROUND TABLES

☐ Government Documents (GODORT)

☐ Junior Members (JMRT)

☐ Archives & Special Collections

☐ On-line Users



South Carolina Library
Association
P. O. Box 8899
Columbia, SC 29202-8899

Non-Profit Organization
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
Permit 149
Columbia, SC

SCLA 88-89 MEMBER
S. C. State Library
1500 Senate Street
POB 11469
Columbia, SC 29211

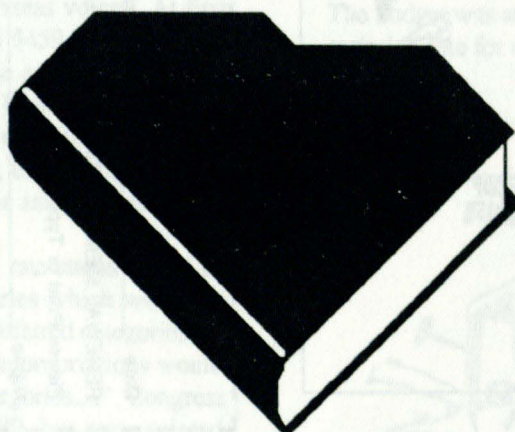
RECEIVED

FEB 8 1989

S. C. State Library

ACTIONS TAKEN AT THE SCLA
BOARD MEETING

December 9, 1988



SCLA Publications

The Board voted to support publication of the South Carolina Library Association for the 1988/89 fiscal year and to publish a newsletter, which is an appeal for your support.

1988/89 Budget

The Board has accepted the proposed budget for 1988/89. The total subscription fee for our new newsletter is \$10.

Steve Pierce

SCLA Secretary

See above.

See page 13.